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Community Protests City Firings

The Black Voice News

RIVERSIDE

By Joshua Thomas

Last Tuesday, residents and city employees gathered at City Hall to protest the recent actions of Riverside City Manager Brad Hudson.

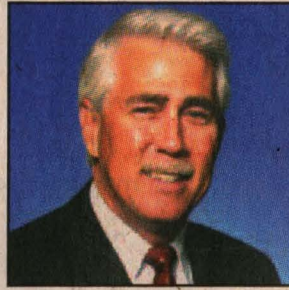
Since Hudson has been appointed

City Manager of Riverside in June 2005, 13 minority city employees have been fired.

Victoria Jackson, a resident of Riverside since 1982, spoke out against Hudson's lack of consideration in his decision making. "I respect the job you do, but I am disappointed. Thirteen minorities have been fired since you moved into office," said Jackson, chief execu-



Mary Figueroa



Brad Hudson

tive officer for Common Ground. A number of residents took the opportunity to express their concerns to Hudson. "That is racism and discrimination," stated Jackson, which generated applause by her fellow residents.

A Catholic priest joined the chorus at the podium and questioned Hudson's motives. "I can't believe this is accidental. Hitler operated on

lies. We want this city to be a city of justice. I would like to have the people who were terminated to have their positions re-evaluated," he said before leaving to a standing ovation.

Hudson responded saying, "Minority representatives in management and in the general workforce have increased dramatically."

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Rockin' On "KKK Radio"

The Ku Klux Klan Is Reinventing Itself

The Black Voice News

FONTANA

By Chris Levister

When Joe Huerta and his long-time friend Luis Acosta slipped across the Mexican border into San Diego in the middle of the night nearly three years ago, they hoped to find a better life far from the dangerous, impoverished streets of Tijuana.

These days the two day laborers are wrestling with a new foe: the Klan.

First Blacks - then Catholics and Jews. Now the Ku Klux Klan has found new targets for its hatred.

Last month Huerta and Acosta sitting in their crammed Fontana apartment heard noises in the backyard. In Spanish they said..... "el perro que el raspo. Dos hombres que usaban las capillas blancas funcionaron lejos." "The dog he barked....two men wearing white hoods ran away...."

Huerta and Acosta say they picked up the phone to call police - then put it down.

"We don't call, because they send us back to Mexico."

Juana Flores who is also in this country illegally called a private security officer after her 15-year-old son received a cellphone text message, "It said go home wetback," claims Flores. She said she is afraid to contact police for fear of being deported.

Gay marriage and urban crime are part of the picture. But, in particular, it is the debate over what to do about the nation's nearly 35 million immigrants, of whom about 11 mil-



The Ku Klux Klan is reinventing itself. Experts say although some Klansmen still hold cross-burnings dressed in robes and hoods, today's young Klansmen are more likely to gather at white power concerts and anti-immigrant rallies.

lion are in the US illegally that has become the fuel for the Klan's resurgence.

The Ku Klux Klan, which just a few years ago seemed static or even moribund compared to other white supremacist movements such as the Neo-Nazis, experienced "a surprising and troubling resurgence" during the past year due largely to the successful exploitation of hot button issues including immigration, gay marriage and urban crime according to the Anti Defamation League (ADL).

"If any one single issue or trend can be credited with re-energizing the Klan, it is the debate over immigration in America," says Deborah Lauter, the ADL's civil rights director. "New groups are sprouting up in

parts of the country that have not seen activity in years.

The League, which monitors the activities of racist hate groups and reports its findings to law enforcement and policymakers, say the Huerta, Acosta and Flores experiences are on the rise. It has documented a noticeable spike in activity by Klan chapters across the country. The KKK believes that the U.S. is "drowning" in a sea of non-white immigration and is vigorously trying to bring its message to Americans concerned or fearful about immigration.

There is no centralized organization, and membership numbers are estimates at best - 5,000 to 8,000, in as many as 179 Klan groups, according to the ADL, a group that

fights bigotry and hate crimes.

Walter Jarman, president of the Inland Empire chapter of the NAACP confirms the spike in "hate-related activity."

He says the NAACP, ADL and like organizations usually record a spike in complaints following highly publicized immigration rallies, Gay Pride events and headline grabbing urban gang activity. That's changing.

"Hate related complaints are becoming more common." He says many of the complaints center around local school campuses. "We are monitoring name calling, bullying, on campus recruitment, distributing racist literature and "hate activity" using modern technology such as the Internet, text and photo messaging and cellphone harassment."

Fontana, San Bernardino and Rialto city and school police have also documented rises in hate related complaints. Victor Quevedo, a veteran officer with the U.S. Immigration & Naturalization Service (INS), says many immigrant

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Election '08

The Totals Are in 2007
First Quarter
Fundraising:

	Raised
Hillary Clinton	\$26M
Barack Obama	\$25M
John Edwards	\$14M

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Jackson To Speak At Booker T. Brunch

The Black Voice News

RIVERSIDE

By Anna Wenger

Mark your calendar for this year's Booker T. Washington Brunch to be held, Friday, April 13, 2007 at 11:30 a.m. at the historic Mission Inn in Downtown Riverside. They keynote speaker for the event will be Gloria "Bonnie" Jackson, Booker T. Washington's great-granddaughter. For information on the brunch contact (951) 682-6070.

Jackson is the founder and President of the Booker T. Washington Inspirational Network Inc. (BTWIN) - "Building to win." She speaks on the common-sense themes that comprise the wisdom of Booker T. Washington: faith, freedom, personal responsibility, character development and excellence in education.

Jackson holds a law degree from UCLA and she is an attorney and a real estate broker. Gloria's book, co-authored with her cousin Sarah Rush, "Timeless Treasures: Reflections of God's Word in the Wisdom of Booker T. Washington" was released in April 2006. She will have a book signing of this book at the event.

Booker T. Washington's first visit to the Inland Empire was in 1903 when he delivered the keynote address for the opening of Claremont College spoke at the Methodist Church in Ontario, and at California Teacher's Association Convention, Washington developed a strong friendship with Frank Miller, the then keeper of the



Gloria "Bonnie" Jackson

"Glenwood Mission Inn."

At Miller's request, Washington returned in 1913 to visit. His travels took him to Northern California and according to, Dr. Rudolph Lapp, a noted historian, "he impressed everyone to whom he spoke." He returned to Tuskegee and did not return to California again until March 1914. Research shows that he returned with the Congregational Churches speaking in Riverside, Redlands, and at Second Baptist, one of the oldest Black churches in Riverside, and the music room at the Mission Inn. When he returned home, he passed away and the residents of Riverside and Redlands held memorial services that were well attended.

While Booker T. Washington was in Riverside he spoke to Whites and Blacks in mass. One of the newspaper articles says "he spoke to 500 Colored folks." He spoke to

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Embracing Newsroom Diversity Cannot Continue to be a Slow Process

The Black Voice News

UNITED STATES

By Karen Lincoln Michel

Tomorrow, the American Society of Newspaper Editors (ASNE) will issue its annual survey of journalists of color at the nation's newspapers. Once again, the numbers will show that newspapers have fallen woefully short of ASNE's 29-year-old goal of reaching racial parity in newsrooms.

How do we know? Did we receive an embargoed copy of the report? Are we capable of publishing an early edition press release that can predict the future?

The answer is neither. Common sense dictates that unless there has been a seismic change in the last year of which we were somehow unaware, newspaper newsrooms will have reached barely 43 percent parity with the nation's Asian American, Black, Hispanic and Native American population. In 2006, only 13.87 percent of the newsroom workforce was made up of journalists of color, compared to 13.42 percent the year before and 12.9 percent in 2004. The figures represent an increase of about 0.5 percent every year for

the past five years in an America that is 32.8 percent of color and rising.

"At this rate of increase," UNITY Journalists of Color Inc. said in a statement last year, "it will take another 40 years before newsrooms reach parity with the current U.S. population. But in another 40 years, the U.S. Census Bureau projects that people of color will no longer be just a third of the population, they will make up about half the people in the country."

Allowing for even an earthshaking increase of 1 percent in the last year, there is little reason to amend that statement and no hope that ASNE's goal, first set in 1978 for parity by the year 2000, then postponed to 2025, will be achievable.

For its part, UNITY and its member organizations stand ready to help, offering resources and assistance for any news organization or executive seeking to train, recruit, retain and promote journalists of color. We set a particular challenge of seeing journalists of color represented in at least 15 percent of newsroom supervisory positions in the coming year and are willing to assist any newspaper or editor serious about achieving that.

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Billy Joe Stokes Remembered

The Black Voice News

RIVERSIDE

Billy Joe Stokes, a member of one of the first Black families in Riverside, recently passed.

Stokes was born to Maitland LaVerne Stokes and Cora (Peggy) Stovall Stokes on August 26, 1934 in Los Angeles, CA. He had one brother, Bailey LaVerne Stokes. Both parents and his brother preceded him in death.

Known to most as Jack, Stokes grew up in Riverside as part of a close extended family. He attended Palm Elementary, Central Middle School and graduated from Polytechnic High



Photo by Sam James
Jack Stokes' (Cocher Car Club member since 1956,) casket with flower arrangement of club seal and broken wheel.

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Schools, Kids Brace for Tougher State Testing Rules Raising The Bar

The Black Voice News

RIVERSIDE

By Chris Levister

"Close the gap," that's the word from state school's chief Jack O'Connell.

California's students are sharpening their No. 2 pencils for the spring testing season that kicks into high gear this week. That's, when the state Department of Education will release school rankings from last year's STAR (Standardized Testing and Reporting) tests and goals.

"Everybody is on edge, says David Morgan, a veteran teacher, and state public instruction consultant.

With good reason. Under new tougher state rules schools must make measurable progress toward closing the gap between



California students are gearing up for the annual testing season. New state rules push schools to meet higher standards.

whites and lower achieving minority students. The twist is some schools met their

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The State of Black CA

The Black Voice News

RIVERSIDE

The DuBois Community Scholar's Forum will host a community forum on April 16, 2007 beginning at 7:00 at the Chavez Community Center/Bobby Bonds Park, 2060 University Avenue, Riverside. This year's topic will be The State of Black California 2007: Part II, A Review of the Report from the California Legislative Black Caucus [A critical analysis and discussion of the Criminal Justice Court System], facilitated by Dr. E. M. Abdulmumin, Jalani Bakari and Manasseh Nwaigwe. Invited panelists include: Gary Windom, Office of the Public Defender and Rod Pacheco, Office of the District Attorney.

Sponsored by the Riverside Branch NAACP & the DuBois Institute and co-sponsored by

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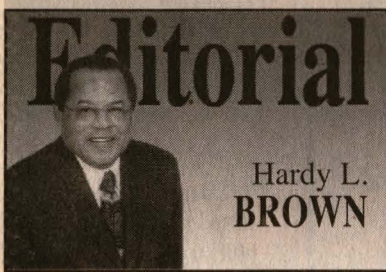
Congressman Ken Calvert Congratulates Mike & Deen Teer



Congressman Ken Calvert congratulates Mike & Deen Teer on receiving the 2006 National Republican Congressional Caucus 2006 Businessman of the Year Award March 15, 2007 in Washington DC.

San Bernardino Council believe the evidence if not the presenters

In the book of John chapter 14, we find the disciples Thomas and Philip are having a question(s) session with Jesus and they keep asking him questions to prove who he really is. Finally in verse 11 Jesus responded in this



Hardy L.
BROWN

had speaker after speaker and witness after witness testify to the success of the Operation Phoenix Program in the 2nd Ward of San Bernardino.

What is one to do when some council members are so blind by envy, jealousy and financial contributions that even the evidence cannot increase their intelligence? When an elected leader reaches that threshold the only thing left for the citizens to do is to elect someone else. I'm afraid of the council members that are demonstrating that kind of behavior.

In the case of Operation Phoenix Program a highly respected retired judge coordinated with other respected agencies such as County Board of Supervisors, California Highway Patrol, California State University, Stater Brothers Market and community leaders, including city council members, Chief of Police, and code enforcement director. It had legal input from their own city attorney. They had as witness council member Dennis Baxter and business leaders adjacent to the area give high praise in support of the operation. We have had the news media reporting of the program success yet you still do not believe. Maybe you want to see the nail prints first? No, that was doubting Thomas, not the intelligent members of the San Bernardino city council.

So phrasing what Jesus told the disciples if you have problems with the presenters of the information or the way it was presented then call them a LIAR or accept the report and act in an intelligent educate manner on the evidence presented.

Riverside City needs to do more community outreach

The citizens of Riverside finally presented their concerns before the city council about the way the new city manger is making decisions when it comes to employment of minorities. The perception is that more Blacks and Latinos have been fired than hired since Brad Hudson hit the city. It was Victoria Jackson who said to her knowledge 13 minorities have been fired since June 2005, the month Hudson started employment. It was Hudson who refuted the allegations by saying the percentage of management employees for Blacks had increased by 1.7% and 1.9% for Latinos since he took the position of city manager. This is good and welcome news to all of us but one of the problems that existed with the city is the lack of community involvement with visible minorities since Hudson took office while all of the high profile minorities were let go. It still rings true that if the public does not know what you are doing, then you are not doing anything. When the only thing they see is an exodus of people who look like them coming out of city hall and the only ones looking like them going in paying bills, it leaves a bad taste on the tongue. This is what the community was saying to the council, "don't we count as citizens?"

I want to encourage the mayor and city council to seek ways to keep the Black and Latino citizens better informed because we are not active members of the chamber, Kiwanis, Rotary clubs, attend the same churches, shop at the same supermarket or our children don't attend the same schools nor exercise by walking up Mount Rubidoux. We don't get our hair care from the same establishments and our political affiliation is different so the chance for us to get information accidentally is not great.

The things we have in common is we pay taxes, live in the same city, breath the same air, ride the same congested streets, but fall short when it comes to sharing the fruits from the economic trees of the city. We hear the words of inclusion but not feeling or seeing the results. The city needs to identify those 1.7 and 1.9 percent to the public and work on increasing this number. 209 didn't stop you from hiring Blacks and Latinos it was suppose to level the playing field.

Don't practice "Disparate Treatment" of employees in the workplace

Over the past several months we have been inundated with complaints of racial discrimination from Black female employees from a cross section of employers in the Inland Empire. All of the complaints have the same recurring theme of subordinates informing upper management that these ladies have an attitude problem, are arrogant, incompetent, and staff is afraid of them. In all of the complaints the Black female employees are better educated than their subordinates, self assured, articulate and have a positive assurance about decision making. In each complaint the employee stated that they have been made to feel as though they have done something wrong. In one case, a supervisor had been heard saying? I'm happy for 209 because we don't have to hire any more Blacks. Nothing could be farther from the truth than that perception of 209. Not hiring Blacks is one sure way to prove your company discriminates because of race.

None of the anti discrimination laws have changed since 1964 in the passage of Title VII of the civil right legislation. Discrimination is still a numbers game for the employer-to prove they do not discriminate. Yes and just like a sexual hostile environment is created in Sexual Harrassment the same is still true when it come to race. When a supervisor makes it known in the workplace that the "Natives are restless" referring to Blacks, "They are lazy" or "we have not hired a Black in this department in the past 10 years because we can't find any who qualify". Do you as a supervisor allow employees to tell racial joke in the workplace? Those kind of statements create tension in the workplace that eventually lead to disparate treatment when someones feelings get hurt and management does not adequately investigate.

One of the things each complainants express is "disparate in treatment" they see and experience a difference in how they are being treated as compared to their white coworkers. Some of the females have examples to support their allegation. Some have witness from other races and now the witness feels being retaliated against for speaking out against these perceived acts of discrimination.

Now the question is how does one prove discrimination, the courts have long recognized that "direct evidence of discrimination is virtually impossible to produce" so they rely on comparative evidence where there is no nonracial explanation for the difference in treatment, according to author Barbara Schlei and Paul Grossman of Employment Discrimination Law Book. In other words do you as a company allow all employees to rat on their supervisors in the company and how do you respond to their complaints? Do you allow a supervisor to say we have not hired a white employee in this department over the past ten years and we are not going to start?

To counter that, I would suggest the Black female document, date, time, place and witness so that a comparative analysis can be offered as evidence.

Because of these many complaints I will prepare some article about discrimination with regularity in hopes of helping employees and organizations improve work relations. Watch out for "Disparate Treatment" of employees in the workplace

HE'S HERE!

Introducing
Joseph C. Phillips

The Property of God

By Joseph C. Phillips
BVN Columnist

This past weekend, I watched the film "Amazing Grace." This marvelous film tells the story of the battle abolitionist William Wilberforce waged to end the slave trade in the British Empire. While watching the film, I pondered the fact that our understanding of the origins of our liberty has changed very little since 1807.

There is a great deal of discussion about the cruelty of slavery in the film. During an especially poignant moment, a former slave, played by the musician Youssou N'Dour, opens his shirt displaying the brand burned into his chest when he reached the West Indies from Africa, a mark that in his words, let him know that he no longer belonged to God, but to men. This moment in the film is striking not because it affirms the cruelty of slavery. Slavery was/is not evil because of its cruelty, but because it violates the natural state of man by reducing the divine to the profane.

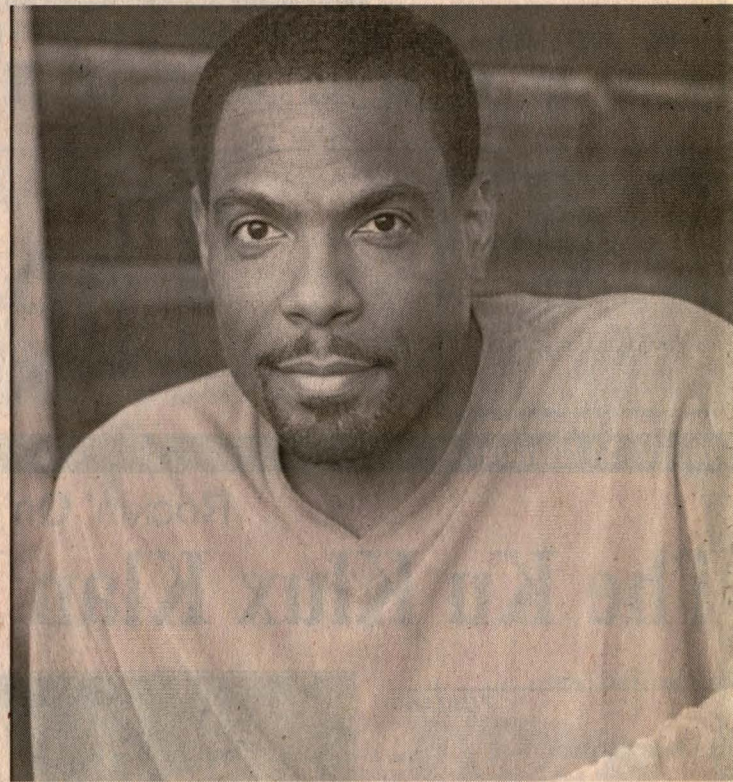
It is the assertion of divine ownership that is the basis upon which we claim our liberty. God made man free and independent. As free men, we must own our bodies, our ideas, and the fruits produced by same. It is upon this concept that we properly define rights and upon this rock America was founded.

Rights are those things to which we claim by virtue of simply being human -- by belonging to God -- and are therefore things that cannot be granted by other men. Hence the removal of chains is not the granting of freedom, but the return of liberty to its rightful owner. Property taken from you doesn't cease being yours simply because it is in another man's possession. And when it is returned, the thief grants you nothing but that which has always been yours.

Critical to our understanding is that rights also come with corresponding duties to respect the rights of others. My neighbor has a duty to respect my right to life, liberty and private property and I have a duty to do the same. Of course, men regularly violate that duty, which is why men compact with government to secure inalienable rights from the devilment of human nature.

Sitting in the theatre, I wondered that here in America, the only nation built upon these principles, we have largely lost our understanding of rights and in fact diluted them so that increasingly they are indistinguishable from privileges, those advantages that government grants or denies certain groups that meet or fail to meet certain requirements.

For instance, we hear about our right to health care, social security and a host of other government, or more accurately, taxpayer funded



entitlements. If men are in fact born with these rights, there must be a corresponding duty that falls on our neighbors to provide it. Does your neighbor have a duty to pay for your doctor's visits and medical care? Do your neighbors have a duty to pay for your retirement? What about housing? Food and clothing? One can argue that these are things God fearing neighbors ought to cheerfully do for one another. However, that is wholly different from politicians that want to use the power of government to force munificence. The administrative state along with its corresponding schemes of wealth redistribution are

wrong because the equal right to liberty means no man should be made to work for the benefit of another. Slavery practiced with kid gloves is slavery still.

William Wilberforce gave his life fighting for the revolutionary idea that the equal right to life and liberty derives from the "laws of nature and of natures God". Alas, the idea seems as sour to our contemporary ears as it was to so many in the late 18th and early 19th centuries.

Joseph C. Phillips is the author of "He Talk Like a White Boy" available wherever books are sold

Letter to the Editor

What people are saying about Dr. Long's appointment to Secretary of Education

Last week RCOE Superintendent Dave Long was appointed Secretary of Education by Governor Arnold Schwarzenegger

Jim Brulte, former State Senator: "I applaud Gov. Schwarzenegger for his choice of Dr. David Long for Secretary of Education. Dave is a dynamic leader who is known around the state and nation for innovative programs to improve student achievement. Dr. Long has been in the classroom; he has been a principal and school district superintendent. He knows what we need to do, and will help the governor make the right decisions to benefit each and every student."

Frank Passarella, Superintendent, Lake Elsinore Unified School District: "I think that our governor has made one of the best decisions for the students throughout the state of California, Dr. Dave Long has always been and will continue to be the individual who clearly focuses on the best interests of the youth we serve. He is a leader among educators

throughout the state and will provide a clear focus in moving public education in the right direction."

Doris Wilson, Superintendent, Desert Sands Unified School District: "I am so thrilled that his professionalism and expertise are being recognized at the state and national level. Dr. Long represents all of us in education and has moved Riverside County to the forefront in California. We wish him well and we will miss him dearly."

Paul Jessup, Superintendent, Alvord Unified School District: "Dave's leadership and success in Riverside County have obviously been noted by the governor, and the skills and abilities he possesses will be great assets to the governor's administration."

Bob Wells, Executive Director, Association of California School Administrators: "Dave Long is one of our most respected leaders. He has been a successful school superintendent and done a tremendous

job leading and serving the schools in Riverside County. Governor Schwarzenegger has made an excellent choice, and we look forward to working with Dr. Long and the administration on the important issues facing our schools, including adequacy of school funding and the federal reauthorization of

NCLB, among many others.

Scott Plotkin, Executive Director, California School Boards Association: "I couldn't be happier. I am absolutely delighted that the governor has chosen such a experienced and distinguished educator with both school district and county office experienced to be the new secretary of education I look forward to working with Dave as he helps the govern create an agenda for the public schools of the 21st Century."

Jamil Dada, Chair, Riverside County Workforce Development Board, member California Workforce Investment Board, Vice President National Association of Workforce Boards

"The biggest issue not just in California, but in the nation, is creating an educated and skilled workforce, and to do that we need to bridge the gap between education and business. I am speaking not just as Chair of the Workforce Development Board, but a banker, an employer in Riverside. I have worked with Dr. Long for many years, and having Dr. Long as a Secretary of Education will give us a big jump on making that bridge happen, and forming that partnership."

Kathy Kinley, President, California School Boards Association

"He has experienced tremendous growth during his time in Riverside County, and he also understands the issue of declining enrollment. I believe he is an excellent choice. He realizes the challenges that schools face in this age of accountability, and I think he also understands the need for more resources."

Obama fundraising rivals Clinton



Democratic presidential hopeful Barack Obama has raised at least \$25m in the first quarter of fundraising for the 2008 race, his campaign team says.

The figure puts him on a par with rival Hillary Clinton - also seeking the Democratic nomination - who has raised \$26m, a record-breaking amount.

Campaigners for Mr Obama said more than 100,000 people had contributed.

2007 FIRST QUARTER FUNDRAISING

Hillary Clinton - \$26m
Barack Obama - \$25m
Mitt Romney - \$23m
Rudy Giuliani - \$15m
John Edwards - \$14m
John McCain - \$12.5m

Figures reported by campaigns for the 2008 frontrunners

Both Republican and Democratic contenders are keen to show they can raise funds from a broad support base.

Analysts say Mr Obama's figures show the Illinois senator, a relative newcomer to the political scene, could be a real threat to Mrs Clinton.

At least \$23.5m of the money raised so far will be eligible to be spent in the Democratic primary race early next year.

The primaries will decide which candidate runs for the White House, hoping to take back control after two terms of Republican President George W Bush.

"This overwhelming response, in only a few short weeks, shows the hunger for a different kind of politics in this country and a belief at the grassroots level that Barack Obama can bring out the best in America to solve our problems," his campaign finance head said.

Some \$6.9m was raised over the internet, from 50,000 donors, his campaign organisers said.

Announcing her first quarter total on Sunday, Mrs Clinton's aides said 50,000 donors were recorded in all 50 states and that 80% of donations were for \$100 or less.

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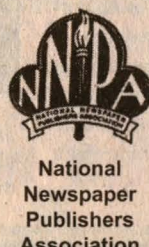
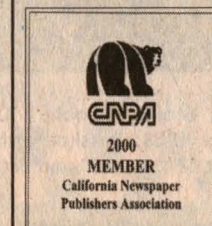
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STOKES

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School in June 1953.

As a teen, he accepted Christ into his heart and was baptized at Park Avenue Baptist Church.

He met and married Willa Jean Wafer in August of 1954 and to this union were born four daughters. The first child, Linda Janine passed shortly after birth. They were later blessed with Deborah, Melinda and Lisa.

Stokes enjoyed many hobbies, but his passion was the Coche'r Car Club which was formed in 1956. The club motto is "Les Amis Pour Tou Jours" meaning friends forever. This commitment of friendship to his club brothers was something he honored till his last breath.

Stokes had a career at the California School for the Deaf as a Grounds Supervisor. Additionally, he held many positions including president of the local California State Employee Association. He

HUDSON

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He showed the residents a chart illustrating how the city employment has diversified since he became city manager. His chart illustrated that African Americans in city management have increased by 1.7 percent and Latinos in city management have also increased by 1.9 percent.

Hudson and the City Council received the most complaints about the "at-will" contracts that were given to two police captains. Both police captains, Pete Esquivel and John De La Rosa, were promoted to deputy chief and assistant chief. "At-will" contracts mean that they can both be fired at any time and

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them about the importance of the accumulation of property and of doing their work so well that they will become indispensable. The purpose of his travels was to raise



Photo by Sam James

Members of the Stokes family, decendants of one of the first Black families to arrive in Riverside in the 1800's.

gave assistance to fellow employees and could be counted on to help and to be a friend. He retired in 1992.

On December 28, 1993, Stokes was united in marriage to Dora Lee Cox. He embraced Dora's children, grandchildren, great-grandchildren and extended family as his own.

He leaves to cherish his memory and celebrate his life: wife Dora

retain their previous positions as police captains.

Daryl Hurt, president of the Riverside Police Administrators Association, spoke on behalf of the RPAA, "We believe that having 'at-will' contracted positions at this level of police department management is dangerous and bad for the community." Hurt deems it to be dangerous because it can possibly create dysfunction and impede the police department of performing objective investigations.

Ken Tutwiler, President of Riverside Police Officers Association, warned Hudson that "at will" employees can become "yes" men, which conflicts with police morale. "You need to trust Chief Leach," Tutwiler said looking

money for the Tuskegee Institute which he founded.

In 2002, National Park Services, The Black Voice News and the Black Voice News Foundation organized a symposium to commemorate Booker T. Washington's visits and connection to Riverside, California's history. A bust in

Stokes; daughters Deborah Stokes, Melinda Turk and Lisa Allison; sons-in-law, George Turk and Carl Allison; grandchildren, Brittany and Brianne Greene, Tyler and Joshua Turk, David and Daniel Allison and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, relatives and friends.

directly at Hudson. Many residents feel that Hudson is dipping his hands in unknown waters. Residents want Hudson to allow Chief Russ Leach to have 100 percent control to do his job.

Ward 4 resident Mary Figueroa said that many residents have admitted to being fearful of dialoging with the City Council. Figueroa explained that the people should not feel this way toward the leadership which represents this city. "City Council does not have any training to be making decisions in the police department. We will not tolerate it," Figueroa emphatically declared. "These methods have no place in the City of Riverside."

Washington's likeness was created by Bernard Edmonds', a local artist. The statue was erected and unveiled in 2004 and strategically placed in a premier area in front of the now Historic Mission Inn Hotel by Duane Roberts, the now "Keeper of the Inn."

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Perhaps we are wrong. Perhaps

TESTING

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not have under the 2007 rules.

"It's going to be more challenging for the schools to reach their growth target, said O'Connell. "Closing the achievement gap is not only an economic imperative, but a moral imperative.

Increasingly many teachers and administrators feel they're caught in a vise, pressured by the rising demands of Sacramento and the federal No Child Left Behind Act.

Although schools have long administered standardized tests, a decade ago they took on greater significance when state legislators created benchmarks that ramp up annually.

Schools are under pressure to teach new concepts and skills, reinforce previous lessons and give practice tests before the annual STAR tests are administered in late April or early May.

With state and national polls showing little progress in achievement among high school students, schools are adopting creative ways to help students and bring up scores. For example San Bernardino City Unified Schools has joined civic and private partnerships that sponsor a before-school academy, an after-school program and a weekly parents' group.

The federal No Child Left Behind Act expects every child in California to meet academic performance standards by 2014. To reach that goal, every year the law will demand increasing percent-

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the Vines Society, The Group, the African American Health Institute, IEAAC, and the African American Historical Society. For more information, contact: Dr. E.M. Abdulummin, Dubois

we will wake up tomorrow morning to find that newspapers did make tremendous strides to reach ASNE's initial parity goal, and that the cynicism of a before-the-fact press

ages of students attain proficiency in language and math. But it leaves it to the state to define proficiency.

California set one of the highest achievement bars in the nation. Already more than 30 percent of schools located in urban communities are failing to meet the federal standards and may eventually face sanctions, possibly a state takeover.

Despite criticism of testing mania, most administrators, teachers and parents agree the benchmarks are necessary.

"It boils down to accountability," said Morgan. The new rules enable the state to track "real" teacher progress. "We've got to

KKK

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victims of hate crime won't report non-violent incidents to police. "The fear of being deported far outweighs the fear of being intimidated by the Ku Klux Klan. The number of incidents is severely underreported. We're looking at the tip of the iceberg," said Quevedo.

Civil rights watchdogs say the Klan has adopted new publicity tricks, such as burst e-mailing racist fliers to school teachers during Black History month, and has embraced the Internet as a means to spread anti-Semitism and racism.

One group, the Empire Knights of the KKK runs an Internet-based radio station, dubbed "KKK Radio," which broadcasts white power music and racist and hatred propaganda.

The ADL says the troubling Klan resurgence has manifested itself in a

release is unwarranted.

And that Thomas Dewey defeated Harry S. Truman for president in 1948.

take the politics and rhetoric out of educating low-performing students.

O'Connell is telling schools they must educate every child, regardless of circumstances, to meet high standards.

"We're raising the bar." When the rubber meets the road the test O'Connell says is to see what students can do in the real world. For example can they do simple math — without a calculator or can they write a letter to grandma.

"We've got the feed the whole child, which is especially important for lower income students who are falling further and further behind."

number of ways:

Longstanding groups have increased their activity and experienced a rapid expansion in size. New groups have emerged, causing racial tensions in communities and schools previously untroubled by racial issues. They hold anti-immigration rallies and recruitment drives for so called "keepers of the land" gun-toting vigilante border protection groups.

"Although some Klansmen may still hold cross burnings dressed in robes and hoods, today's young card carrying Klansmen are more likely to look virtually indistinguishable. They could be the invisible next door neighbor. "Today's Klansmen are more likely to gather at white power music concerts, and anti-immigration rallies or socialize at so-called "unity rallies" with other white supremacists," said Ms. Lauter.

Jarman says the collusion and cross pollination of Klan chapters with other American racists groups is troubling. He says as America turns browner — fighting hatred, prejudice and bigotry will get tougher. "People need to be aware — while the 60's era of Klan cross burnings and lynching by people donning white robes and hoods may be fading — we all need to remember a zebra never changes its stripes."

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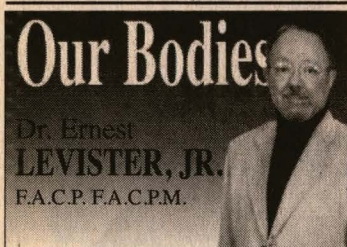
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Anti-Cancer Vaccine for Schoolgirls

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Dear T.W. The federal government approved Gardasil in June, and a government advisory panel has recommended that all girls get the shots at 11 and 12, before they are likely to be sexually active.

Gardasil blocks infection by four common strains of human papilloma virus or HPV, which can cause cervical cancer many years after infection. HPV, which eventually infects over half of all sexually active people, also causes genital warts.

Who Should Get It: Medical groups recommend three doses given over six months for girls ages 11 and 12, and say it can be given to girls as young as 9 and up to 18. It is approved for women up to age 26. The cost is \$350 for the three doses required.

Manufacturer Merck & Co., which says Gardasil is covered by 96 percent of insurance plans, recently added Gardasil and its other adult vaccines to its patient assistance program for low-income citizens.

The company claims Gardasil prevents 99 percent of infections by two HPV strains that cause about 70 percent of cervical cancer and two strains that cause most genital warts.

On average, there are 9,710 new cases of cervical cancer and 3,700 deaths in the U.S. each year. Worldwide, cervical cancer is the No. 2 cancer in women causing over 470,000 new cases and 233,000 deaths a year.

According to the U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention Merck is completing testing of Gardasil on women ages 26 to 45 and will apply for approval for those groups by year's end.

Rival drug maker GlaxoSmithKline is developing its own vaccine, Cervarix.

There is a lot of political "noise" surrounding Gardasil. The massive media hype doesn't help nor does the meddling from the governor of Texas who ordered all girls in his state to get the vaccine and who is a politician not a physician.

If you were my daughter asking, I'd say - check with your physician before you proceed - but wait until the "noise" dies down.



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A teenager asked that I write this for teenagers his age: **"A TEEN-AGER'S PRAYER"** God in heaven, I am young and don't understand what it is like to be a parent, but it must be very hard because so many people are failing at it these days. I pray for mom and dad, God, that you will help them to be good parents strong in the ways you want them to be, so I can look up to them with admiration and feel confident that their instruction is right. Help me, dear Lord, to understand my parents. Remind me that when I don't get my way it is because they love me and not because they want to be mean or deprive me of a good time. Help me, God when I become stubborn and refuse to listen, to accept the fact that they have wisdom and experience because they were once teenagers, but I have never been a parent. Put in my heart the respect and consideration they deserve for their years of hard work and sacrifice. They raised me as best they could. Let me not repay them with grief or shame. Rather help me to give them obedience, respect, forgiveness and love. Most of all, God, while I still have my parents here on earth, help me to appreciate them and let them know I do. This will put a little thought in your heart and mind.

Angela Knox is one of our camera persons at Cathedral Of Praise International Ministries. This woman of God has a wonderful business "APRICOT GLAZE EXQUISITE AROMAS"

Part 2 of 2 By Mary Shelton

Having suffered from a mental disability for over two decades, Rivera had tried to comply with the officers to the best of his ability. One of them struck him in the face, Jaramillo said.

Barney, a POPs officer who had worked at three different law enforcement agencies in nine years, testified that he had been driving his squad car with Beebe on Mary Street when he saw Rivera walking. He said that he then turned into the parking lot and saw Rivera staring at him, then place his hand in his pocket, like he was clenching an object.

"It wasn't normal behavior upon seeing an officer," Barney said.

So Barney said, he got out of his car, walked over to Rivera and said, "what's happening". Rivera walked away and Barney followed, and ordered him to get his hand out of his pocket. Rivera then pulled his hands out with his fists clenched at shoulder level, according to the officer. Barney testified that he

thought he was going to get hit so he struck Rivera once above his left eye. Barney was asked again by Jaramillo why he had stopped Rivera.

"When he made eye contact with us and immediately put his hand in his pocket," Barney said, "My opinion is that he's acting bizarre."

Barney said that he did not know whether he believed that Rivera was under the influence of a controlled substance or suffering from a mental disorder although he had included both in his report.

"I didn't know what was going on," Barney said.

Since Barney had initiated the contact with Rivera, he was required by departmental policy to activate his digital audio recorder, which he did but not until after Rivera had already been handcuffed by him and Beebe. He wrote in his report that he had not activated the device because he had seen Rivera put his hand in his pocket and he believed it was not safe to do so while inside his vehicle.

Beebe testified that he had been riding with Barney and saw Rivera stare at

them then put his hand in his pocket "as if he were clenching an object". While Barney approached Rivera, Beebe said he had rolled up the windows, locked the car and then stood next to the rear of it until Barney had struck Rivera, knocking them both to the ground. At that point, he ran over to help him handcuff Rivera.

Beebe testified that after Rivera had been struck, he had "actively resisted" arrest, although under cross-examination, Beebe admitted that he had not mentioned that in his report nor had he written that he had ordered Rivera to put his hands behind his back.

"I just didn't use that wording," Beebe said.

Beebe also said that he had reviewed both his and Barney's report because they often asked each other to proofread their reports.

After Rivera was handcuffed and the officers were walking back to their squad car, they discussed the possibility that Rivera may have been suffering from a mental disorder, Beebe said.

People who attended a recent meeting in Casa Blanca said that the officers had

talked about the incident and told them that they did not know that Rivera had been mentally ill but that if he was, he should not have been on the streets unattended.

Jennie Rivera testified that her son walked through the park nearly every day. He walked with his head down so he could pick up change off the ground which he then often counted to determine if he had enough to buy cigarettes.

"I had sent him to pick up the two children and he had never come back," Rivera said.

She said that her son was on medication and did not have a history of any problems. He was shy and preferred to be by himself, she said.

She said that she had received a phone call later that he was in jail and she did not know why. Two days later, she went to pick him up at the Banning work camp.

While under cross-examination, Jennie Rivera was asked about whether she had made statements that were critical of police officers at the Casa Blanca Community Action Group and the Inter-

police Advisory Commission meetings.

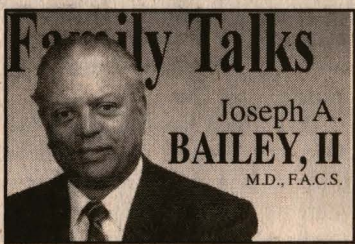
"I've spoken for and against law enforcement," Rivera said.

At that point, Webster decided to call the attorneys into his chambers to discuss an issue and after they came out, he formally recused himself from the case and sent it back to Tranbarger.

At that point in the process, the case was hours away from being dismissed after exhausting the 10 day period to find a courtroom in the overcrowded court system in Riverside County. However, Tranbarger did find a courtroom to send the case to be retried again. At that point, Monroe offered a deal to Rivera to plead guilty to the infraction and pay \$100 fine, but Rivera and his mother were adamant, no fine, no time. The prosecutor acquiesced and agreed to the terms.

Although he did not really want to do so, Rivera pled guilty to the infraction but received no fine or probation with it and walked out of the courthouse with the ordeal finally behind him.

Black Americans' Emotions Inside Delusions



"And again I say unto you, it is easier for a camel to go through the eye of a needle than for a rich man to enter into the kingdom of God" (Matthew 19:24). What does this mean? Practically all Black ministers have an explanation but allow me to extend this into another realm. Let us assume that Jesus was referring to those rich people who were filled with delusions about scarcity and thereby reacted from so much fear as to go about grabbing all they could--and by any immoral or illegal means necessary. Thus it would be necessary to shed these delusions; replace them with Ma'at (love in action) type values; and then modify, refine, or completely change their character to be in accordance with the ultimate of Ma'at principles. The objective is to become "no one" by being lost in the harmony and unity of all God's creations and creatures.

Now suppose some of this process has application to slavery-generated delusions present in struggling Black Americans. Here are my speculations. Pains were generated in slave males from losing or restraining their "man-

hood"; from being placed in an inferior position to Black females; from an inability to obtain adequate or any employment; and from not having what it took to fight the White man. Slave females had pains over being continually raped by White men, among others.

Inside the delusions of today's struggling Blacks are emotional and spiritual pains culturally transmitted and acquired. Together, they are denied, suppressed, repressed, ignored, compensated for, or dissociated. Ways they are dealt with them are by denial, dissociation, suppression, repression or compensation (by "acting a fool" or fighting or fleeing by various defense mechanisms, including engaging in superficial pleasures and "being about nothing"). All Black people did (and do) have pains over being constantly insulted-- e.g. Whites calling Blacks by their first name, or gal/boy/uncle and insisting on Caste behaviors. Although these emotions are out of conscious awareness and hence out of control, they remain quite active in causing one to do weird and self-defeating things--things for which he/she can not account--things like getting in fights over "nothing".

Regardless of how many are present and in what combination in any given Black American, there is a lack of awareness of--but an accommodation to--and perhaps even the acceptance of this "glob" of entangled terrible emotions delusions and pains. Despite being

considered "normal", the effects of this glob are overwhelming. It takes up so much mind space and energy as to leave little room for more constructive thoughts and actions. Hence, one is not in complete control of one's minds--a situation which can cause one to go "mad." Besides, the glob may well explain many of the physical problems featured in Black Americans--strokes, high blood pressure, diabetes, and cancer. Many struggling Blacks are *mentally caged* by being unable to "escape" into a state of reality. Their only relief is to "escape" into more disturbing delusions or into superficial pleasures or into activities that lead to "dead-ends." By contrast, when tired of themselves, "normal" people can "escape" into distortions or fantasy. Pause for a moment to realize how completely caged you are by extreme anger. Suppose, as a way of life, you stayed in that mental state--conceivably as happens to many struggling Blacks. Under these circumstances it is remarkable that the afflicted get as much done as they do--and that they do not do things much worse than what they do. They need community help.

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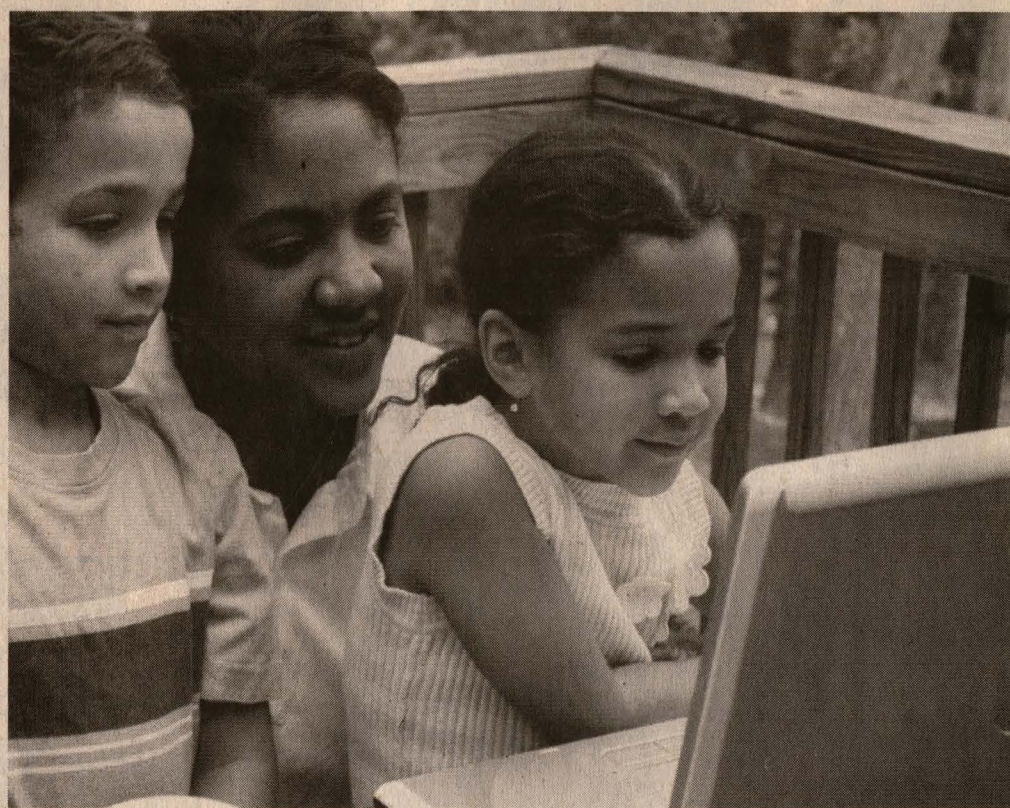
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Pet Peeve: Credit By Coercion



There was a time when a credit card was a free choice. It was an impersonal plastic endorsement of your credibility. A credit card once implied trustworthiness and solvency. In the 70s when credit cards were first introduced they were used for airline tickets, hotels, fine dining, and in place of travelers' checks while traveling. Customers of credit cards opted to sacrifice the extra expense of interest and annual fees in exchange for convenience coupled with the sense of an aristocratic power. Those days are gone.

Today credit card companies have setup a system where credit cards are a necessity rather you want one or not in order to be accepted as a human being worthy of trust. Credit card companies favor the poor and college students with the plastic prestige. It decreases the principle of delayed gratification and increases the temptation of instant gratification. An economical person who believes in saving and only buying items in which he or she can afford is no longer worthy of trust.

Every time I turn around these days some robotically desensitized clerk is asking to see my credit card and two pieces of ID. Unless I comply with the policy, I'm not qualified to rent the carpet shampooer, video, or DVD. Why should renting petty items, which are being paid with cash, become a credit card matter?

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Just to carry one credit card could easily cost the cardholder a monthly fee whether the card is used or not. Then to use the card, even an ATM card, the cardholder pays an additional service fee in most places. God forbid if you happen to make a major purchase and pay it off with the minimum monthly payments. By the time you finish paying for a \$400 TV set, you've spent nearly twice that much with interest fees. I think there should be a law that no person should insist that you own a credit card or show him or her your credit card unless you are applying for credit. Credit coercion has reduced society to a totally impersonal world. There are too many scams in circulation today and the unnecessary exposure of your credit card is an inroad to your private financial life. Besides what idiot started the rumor that everyone with a credit card was honorable and those without one were dishonorable?

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Terrell Thomas -- 2007 Sir Knight



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2007 Sir Knight Terrell Thomas

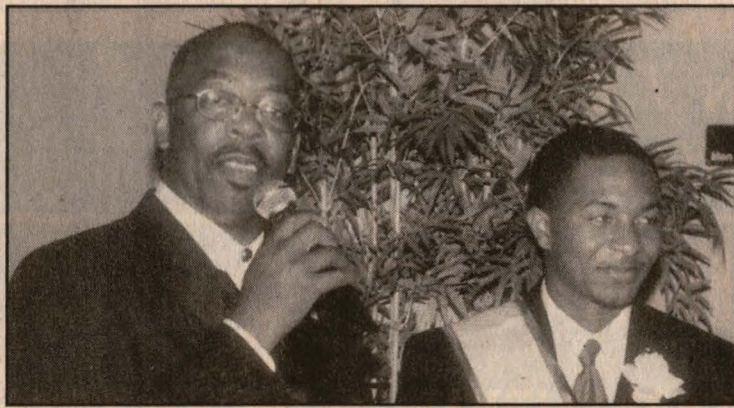


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Emcee Rikke Van Johnson with last year's Sir Knight Mattheu Craney.

Choreographer Russell Ward, a past Knight, and choreographer Marcus Wilkerson combined their talent to showcase the Knights, their Pages, Squires and Fair Maidens with dance routines that showed much skill and displayed a lot of energy. There were few dry eyes in the audience when the Knights danced around the room with their mothers to the tune "I'll be Your Angel."

Warrick L. Carter PhD, President of Columbia College of Chicago, delivered an inspiring keynote speech to the Knights on the subject of "Life's Changes." In very clear terms Dr. Carter encouraged the young men that "...from this point in their

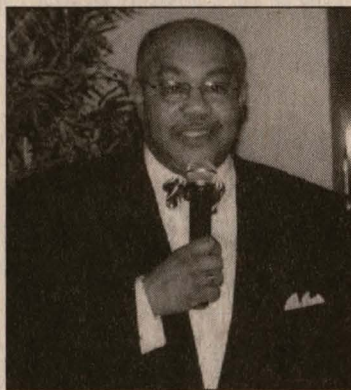


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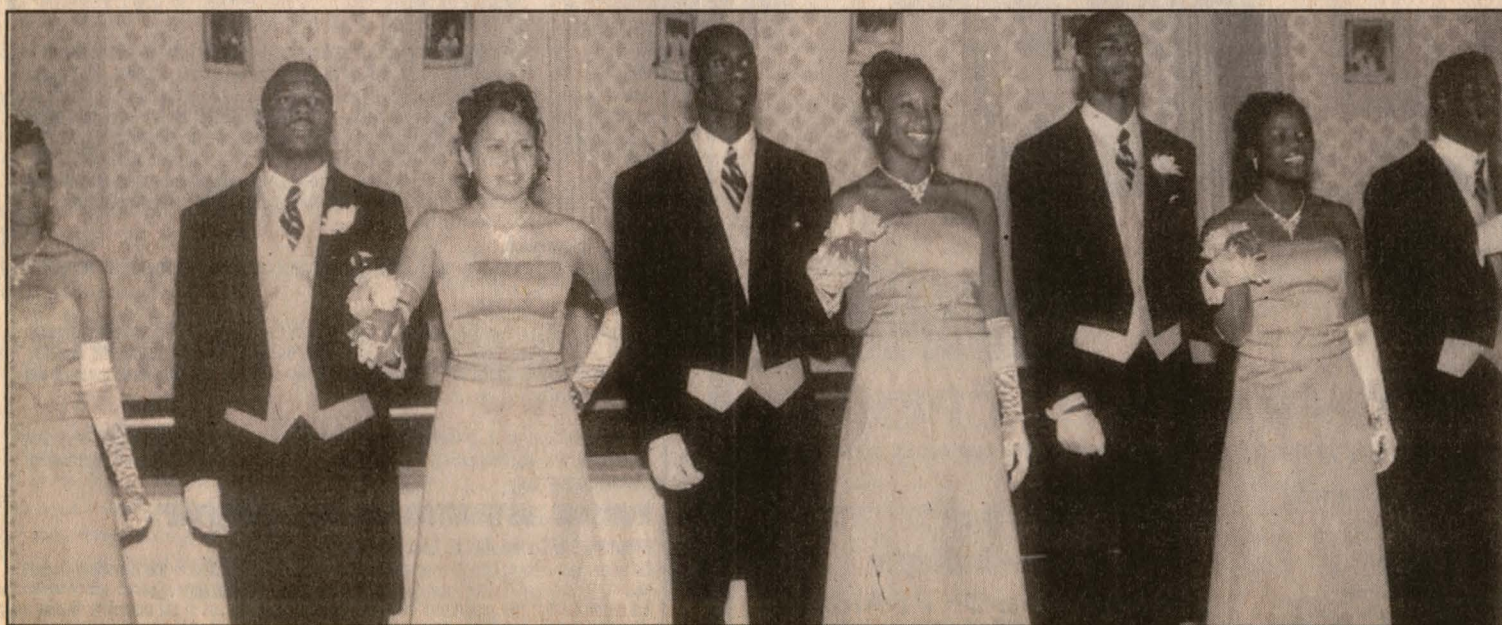


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Beautillion Knights and Fair Maidens

The Black Voice News

SAN BERNARDINO

By Megan Carter

During the 40th Annual Socialites Beautillion program Terrell Lawrence Thomas was crowned 2007 Sir Knight. Thomas won the most coveted award after a year of leadership training and service to the community.

The first runner-up was Daniel Stallworth who also received the top scholarship award for his 4.7 grade point average. The other five Knights also received I-pods, computers and money.

Councilman Rikke Van Johnson was the emcee for the evening and Warrick L.

Carter, Ph.D., President of Columbia College, was the speaker.

In imparting wisdom to the young men, Carter said, "If I had the Socialites where would I be?" He continued saying, "you don't get to where you are alone. You are standing on the shoulders of others who went before."

After remarking on how good the squires looked, he mentioned that they would be standing in the shoes of the Knights. "From this day forward you will never forget this night. This is the next chapter of your life," he said.

This year's chair and president of the Socialites Edye Tillie said the theme epitomizes the 2007 Knights, "Sculptures of Today Masterpieces of Tomorrow."

New Parents: What You Need to Know About Sickle Cell Disease

By Dr. Deborah Gould and Dr. Steven K. Bergstrom

Newborn babies are screened for a number of different diseases, and in many states, including California, all are screened for sickle cell disease. Knowing about the disease early in a child's life can help pediatricians and parents plan for the child's health and avoid some of its serious effects.



Sickle cell disease causes your body to produce misshaped red blood cells -- instead of being round like donuts, the sickle form of hemoglobin causes red blood cells to become shaped like crescent moons or "sickles." These sickle cells can block the flow of blood, keeping oxygen from circulating and potentially cause significant pain and infections and damage organs and bones.

Some scientists now believe the trait may have developed thousands of years ago in Africa as a way for the body to combat malaria. Today, in the United States, about one in 650 African Americans, one in 1,000 Latinos and smaller numbers of other ethnic groups (especially people whose ancestors are from India, the Middle East and the Mediterranean) carry the sickle cell trait.

For parents whose children have sickle cell disease, they know what a challenge it can be to manage its effects. It can cause long periods of pain, time spent in the hospital and serious illness. But most grow up without major complications -- and there are ways parents can arm themselves with everyday tools to keep their children healthy and happy.

Keep your child well hydrated. Without enough fluids, hemoglobin becomes concentrated and is more likely to assume the abnormal "sickle" shape. Staying hydrated is especially critical during warm weather, when participating in sports and for older children whose kidneys don't retain water as well. So the first lesson for these children is: "Drink, Drink, Drink."

Keep your child warm. When children with sickle cell disease become too cold, the reduction in their circulation may cause their blood cells to "sickle." This is true not only in cooler winter months but also when swimming or wading in lakes or pools. So the second rule is stay warm and dry.

Talk with your doctor about antibiotics. Children with sickle cell anemia have a reduced ability to fight infections, so it's important that they take antibiotics every day to avoid certain serious infections. If your child develops a fever, get to the doctor as soon as possible.

The great majority of children with sickle cell disease will grow to adulthood with very few serious complications. As more scientists specialize in its research and more doctors specialize in the treatment and care of people with sickle cell disease, the outlook is even brighter. In the meantime, make a plan with your doctor and take daily measures to keep your children healthy.

Dr. Deborah Gould is Chief of Pediatrics and Dr. Steven K. Bergstrom is Assistant Chief of Pediatrics and Director of Hematology/Oncology at Kaiser Permanente Medical Center in Oakland, California. Email the doctors at: doctors-word@kp.org

lives, each candidate is to begin to see and experience positive changes as they move from boyhood to manhood."

Daniel Stallworth, Cajon High School senior and son of Frank and Vela Stallworth, was awarded first runner-up and the Social Lite's Academic Award. Stallworth plans to attend the Massachusetts Institute of Technology; his overall GPA is 4.7.

Gerald Whitney Smith, a Fontana High School senior and son of Gloria Smith, was awarded second runner-up. Smith plans to attend California State University at San Bernardino and major in Psychology.

This year's Knights are: Joseph Broome, Charles Grays, III, Lionel Vincent Harrington, Gerald Whitney Smith and Brandon Thomas.



Join the California Black Health Network as they celebrate their 24th Statewide Conference April 19 – 21, 2007 at the Hilton Ontario Airport

Some of this year's speakers include:

- **Dr. James Kyle II**, Charles Drew University, Vice President for Strategic Development – Friday Welcome Session Keynote Speaker
- **Dr. Antronette Yancey**, UCLA (Associate Professor of Health Services and DrPH Program Director. She is also the ASPH Public Health Practice Coordinator for the School) – Workshop Presenter on Chronic Disease
- **Mildred Thompson**, Policy Link's Director of Health & Place – Saturday's Keynote Speaker

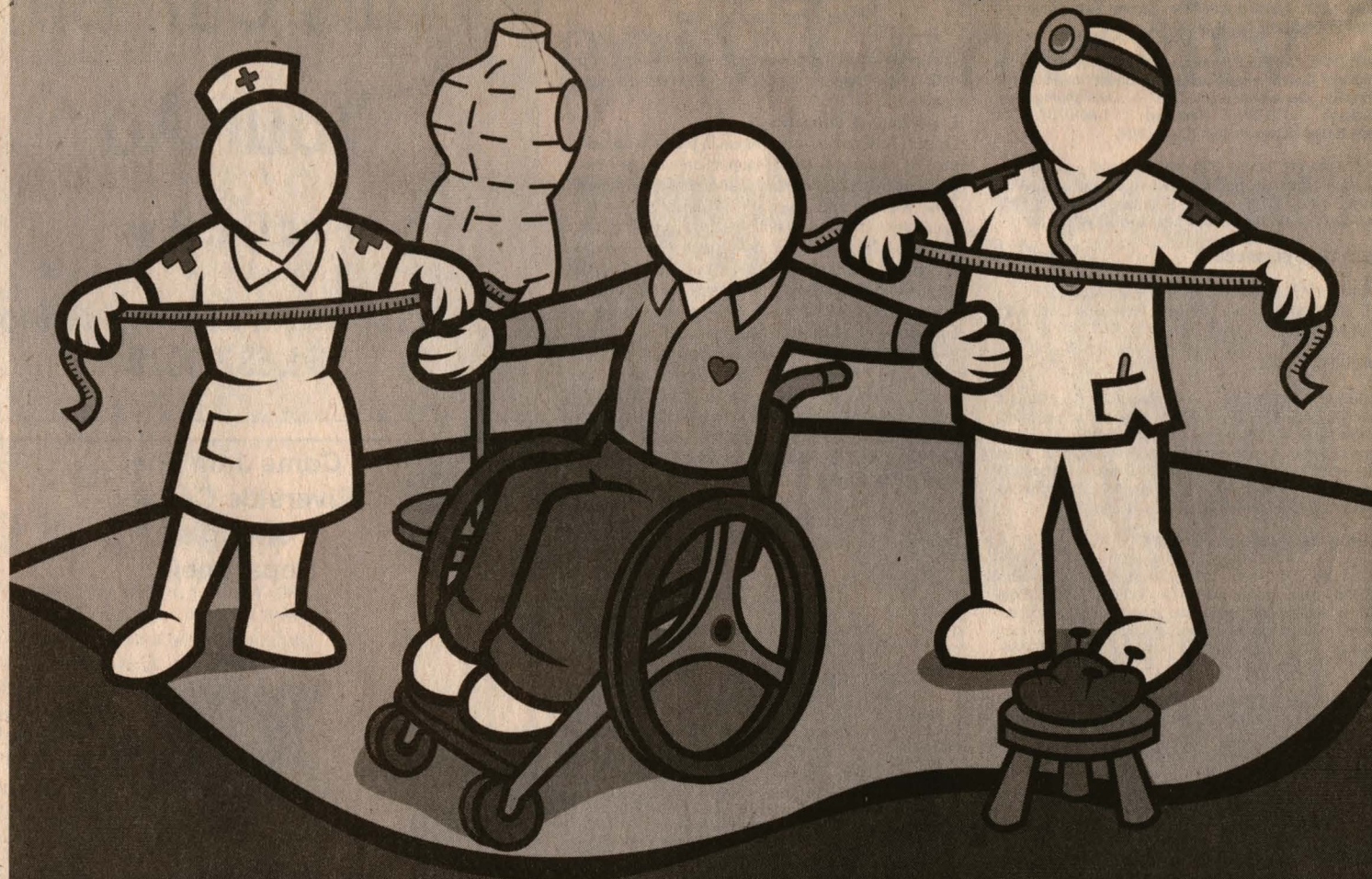
This year's conference theme is: "Beyond Talk: Actions for Improving African American Health in the 21st Century"

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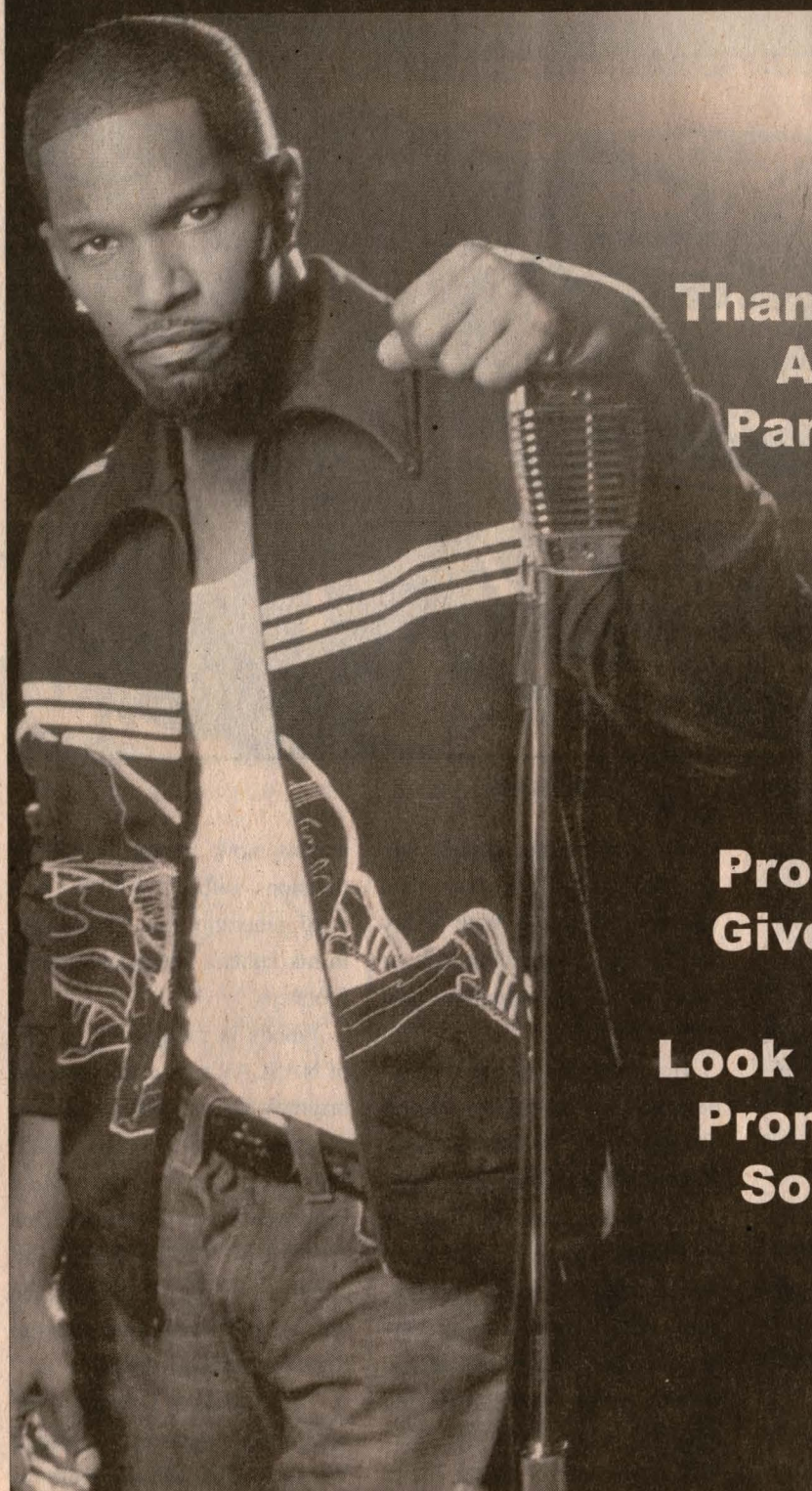
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Tim Woods Off And Racing Again



Tim Woods

The Black Voice News

By Earl Heath

The 2007 Racing season is in its infancy but NASCAR driver Tim Woods III got off to a sound start with a seventh place finish at the Allstate Texas Thunder 150 held in Kyle, Texas.

Woods showed promise earlier as he ran second for several laps until a caution flag came out and forced him to the outside on the Thunder Hill three-eighths mile track.

"There were a lot of restarts, there were five or six cautions," said Woods. "Most of the time if

you started on the outside you get shuffled back because it's a one groove track. With every caution flag, depending if your odd or even you will either gain or lose a spot."

He has three new crew members that graduated from North Carolina A & T, Chris Gaskins, Russell Wade III and Gary Oatis.

Woods has a top notch group in T3Motorsports, but like most newcomers, he needs sponsorship. With Woods you not only get diversity, you get an up and coming driver who's fiery and appears to be born to race. Woods started his racing career at 8 years old on BMX tracks

and is now racing NASCAR divisions with car #54. He is a third generation racer following in his father's and grandfather's footsteps.

Woods is recognized as one of NASCAR's most talented and brightest up and coming African Americans stars. In 2005, Woods received the Most Improved Drive. He finished his 12 starts of 2006 with three Top 5 and seven Top 10 finishes. He will be at Phoenix International Raceway on April 19th.

"We're looking forward to the upcoming season," added Woods. "The whole team is excited about it."



Car Care

STEER YOUR CAR IN THE RIGHT DIRECTION

Most Americans will pay big bucks at the pump this summer, which is why it is more important than ever to save on your car maintenance costs. Now is a perfect time to learn new ways to keep your car in better shape, longer and save. The American Society of Appraisers highlights the top 10 steps consumers can take to help enhance the value of their car.

"Cars are usually the second largest purchase for most people, right after their house," said Dave Kinney, accredited senior appraiser with the American Society of Appraisers (ASA). "It makes sense to take care of your automobile, not only for sustaining its worth, but for safety purposes as well."

The American Society of Appraisers and expert automobile appraiser Dave Kinney offer the following tips to consumers.

1. Keep it clean. Aside from car wash operators, no one likes dirty cars. By keeping your car clean, not only will you feel better about the car, but you will likely reap the rewards at trade in time or when you sell it. Have your car professionally detailed before you attempt to sell it.
2. Maintain your car according to the manufacturer's specifications. Find the specifications in the owner's guide (that book in your glove box you have ignored since the day you bought it). The quickie oil change shop might try to beat the "change your oil every three thousand miles" mantra into your head, but most manufacturers don't require oil changes until 7,500 miles or more. Don't spend money where it's not needed, and you can help the environment, as well.
3. Go synthetic. When you do get that oil change, consider one of the well-known synthetic oils on the market. They are more expensive, but they also have a longer service life. Synthetic oil is made from regular oil, but it is made so that all the molecules are the same size, increasing

flow and decreasing wear. Your engine could last longer and operate at cooler temperatures.

4. Fix what breaks. Today's cars are much more complicated than cars from 10 years ago. A little problem can become a big problem if ignored. Turning up the radio to avoid hearing a noise is not a good plan - get it fixed.
5. Fix those paint chips. Little paint chips have a way of growing into big paint chips; fix them before they grow. Your local auto parts store will likely have a paint touch-up display offering a variety of popular (and some unpopular) colors that match your paint. If they don't, your dealer will.
6. Wax on, wax off. Find a high quality paste wax and spend the afternoon getting to know the nooks and crannies of your car. It's not bad exercise, and you get to work on your tan at the same time. Wax your car once a year at a minimum and repeat often.
7. Get an annual physical. It's good advice for both you and your car. Most states require an annual inspection for all vehicles. Any dealer would be happy to do a 25,000 mile or more

point check-up. This is the time to look at tires, belts, hoses, brakes and every other system subject to wear.

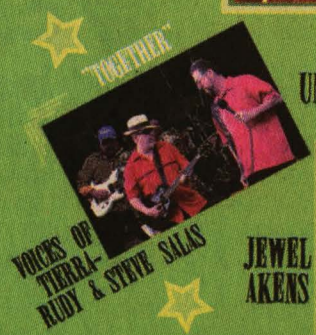
8. Park and walk. Don't grab the first space closest to the door of the mall. Instead, park in a less used area and walk the short distance. What's the benefit? You get a little more exercise, and your car avoids the chance for a few dings and being a target for the "park-by-touch" crowd.
9. Don't be cheap. Use parts that are approved by the manufacturer or come from a source you trust. Aftermarket parts can be as good, or better, than original equipment, but unless you get them from a trusted source, be wary. Develop a relationship with the shop that repairs your car. Don't cut corners on safety.
10. Keep your records. You can toss the old candy wrappers in the backseat, but don't toss the paperwork that a potential buyer wants to see. Instead, keep a simple file of all of your bills, receipts, recall notices, e-mails and letters about your vehicle. Future buyers will thank you.

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Argosy University Led By Diverse Team

The Black Voice News

SAN BERNARDINO

The Inland Empire's newest university boasts an ethnically diverse administrative team with women and men in strong leadership roles. They believe this level of diversity helps all students receive the best opportunities for success at Argosy University-Inland Empire.

"Our leadership team, as well as our other staff and faculty here at Argosy University-Inland Empire, know the challenges of trying to work, raise a family and at the same time, further your education," said Campus Director Darren Adamson, Ph.D.. "We believe Argosy University presents the Inland Empire with great opportunities to work school into busy schedules, and look forward to helping each of our students and prospective students on a path to success."

Dr. Adamson, who comes to Argosy University-Inland Empire with vast experience in both higher education and psy-

chology, heads the team. Business, education and psychology are the major areas of focus of Argosy University's curriculum.

Dr. Adamson, who is of English and Danish ancestry, previously served as Vice President/Campus Director of the Colorado and Cheyenne campuses of the University of Phoenix, as well as an instructor with the university. He also worked as a research associate at Brigham Young University and the University of Utah Gerontology Center, and taught as an adjunct professor of child and family studies at Weber State University.

Dr. Adamson received Master's and doctorate degrees in marriage and family therapy from Brigham Young University, and has worked in the employee assistance field as well as having a private practice in marital, family, and individual psychotherapy. He is fluent in Spanish.

Dr. Marilyn Al-Hassan, the program chairman for Argosy



Left to Right – Chair of the Education and Business Schools, Dr. Marilyn Al-Hassan; Chair of the Psychology Schools, Dr. Debra Wheeler; Director of Admissions Wendy Vasquez-Osborn; Campus Registrar Michelle Gradillas; Business Manager Michael Andruski

University-Inland Empire, also has an extensive background in psychology and education. This African-American woman holds a master's degree in marriage and family counseling from the

Phillips Graduate Institute in Encino, and a doctorate degree in educational leadership from the University of Sarasota/Argosy in Orange County. She is a certified drug

and alcohol counselor, as well as a certified anger management counselor.

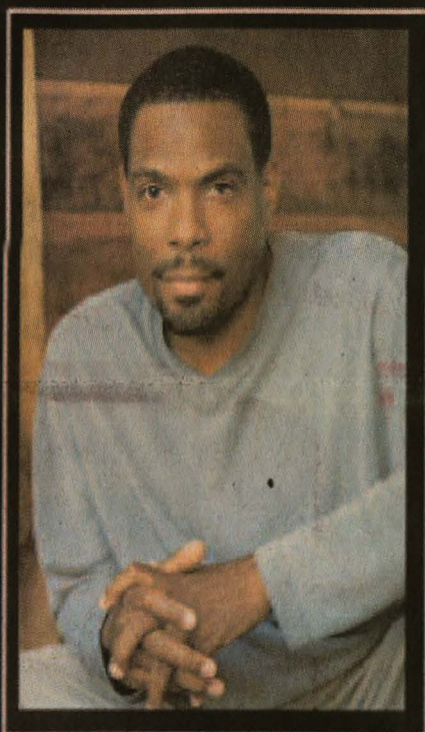
At Argosy University – Inland Empire, Dr. Al-Hassan oversees all of Argosy's educational pro-

grams. She tracks students' academic performance, and hires and trains faculty. She comes to Argosy University-Inland Empire from Argosy University – Santa Ana, where she had the same job in that school's education department from 2004 until coming to Argosy University-Inland Empire in June of this year.

Dr. Al-Hassan has previously overseen educational programs at Charles Drew University of Medicine and Science and at the "Get Off Drugs" treatment program, both in south central Los Angeles. One of the programs she managed at Charles Drew University promoted the medical benefits of sexual abstinence for teenagers, another worked to prevent violence in families and communities.

In addition to running programs such as those at Argosy University, Dr. Al-Hassan gives presentations throughout the United States on the topics of education and violence prevention.

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Sickle Cell Foundation launches "Be Sick Smart" Campaign at Mission Inn Brunch



Patricia Bagby (far right) with Lacy Enterprises Fat Burgerowners/family members.

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By Tia M. Magee

The Sickle Cell Disease Foundation of California (SCDFC) introduced a newly formed campaign entitled "Be Sick Smart" during a recent luncheon held at the Mission Inn in Riverside. The purpose of the luncheon was to raise awareness and support for Sickle Cell as well as Iron Overload predominantly in the African American Community.

Sickle Cell Disease is an inherited blood disorder that affects more than 80,000 people in the United States, mainly in the Black community. About 2 million Americans or 1 in 12 African Americans carry the sickle cell trait.

While there is no universal cure for Sickle Cell, there are treatments to reduce painful episodes and to prevent or treat complications. "Be Sick Smart" aims to bring together patient advocacy, health professionals, churches, media, community leaders and civic organizations to



L-R: CEO & President Mary E. Brown; Educational Outreach Tina Coleman; and Program Manager Mary LaMar

raise awareness of these options that are available.

Tina Coleman, in charge of Educational Outreach for the "Be Sick Smart" Program presented the attendees with information about the history of the disease and the complications Sickle Cell patients have due to regular blood transfusions called iron overload. She also encouraged testing as a routine procedure

because the disease can show up in a new born child, simply due to the genetics of these parents.

IE supporters of "Be Sick Smart" include Lacy Enterprises, LLC (Fat Burger); Ed Delgado, Sr. Community Outreach Representative of San Manuel, W. Yvonne Ashe and Ms. Keturah D. McEwen of the Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc., Pastor Joshua Beckley of Ecclesia Christian Fellowship.

For further information, contact Mary Brown, Sickle Cell Disease Foundation of California Satellite Office San Bernardino County at 9431 Haven Avenue, Suite 126, Rancho Cucamonga, California 91730, 909-912-1950, or email: Info@scdfc.org. Go to www.scdfc.org.

La Sierra holds Community Partnership Summit

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A La Sierra Community Partnership Summit will be held at La Sierra Park Gym, from 6:30 to 8 p.m., Wednesday.

The summit will provide area residents an opportunity to meet with City departments to exchange infor-

mation and ideas regarding the future of the La Sierra community.

The program will also feature reports regarding programs and projects currently underway in the Riverside Police Department; Community Development; Public Works; Parks, Recreation and Community Services; and Housing.

Attendance at this event is free, and will include an informal dinner, prize drawings and children's activities.

La Sierra Park is located along La Sierra Ave and Gramercy Place.

For further information, contact Bruni Mercado at (951) 826-2390.



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If you are a Leading Lady in your church and would like information about joining the Leading Ladies for School Readiness program, email info@leadingladiesforschoolreadiness.com. This message brought to you by First 5 California, First 5 Riverside and the Leading Ladies for School Readiness.



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U.C.R. is Paging Future Doctor Yanise Jenkins

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RIVERSIDE

By Cynthia Rucker

Like many high school seniors, Yanise Jenkins anxiously awaited a response from one of several potential colleges of her choice. Then, the mail came.

Finally, an envelope embossed with the University of California Riverside logo in the upper left-hand corner had arrived. "I simply could not contain myself when I learned that I was accepted to U.C.R.," said an exuberant Jenkins. "It was definitely at the top of my list, along with U.C.L.A., which I would like to attend following my tenure at U.C.R.," said the future pediatrician. "It is a great beginning for me, and it has excellent educational opportunities that will help to pave the way of my career path and lay a solid foundation to that end."

From cradle to college, it would seem that Jenkins was born with a stethoscope in hand. That, coupled with her passion for the young, brought her full circle to what she loved most as a child. "Yanise has always held a special fondness for children," said Yeisha Galtney, her mother. "She is really patient with them and one can see that they look up to her," she said. As for the medical profession, it appears that although — like most little girls — Jenkins enjoyed playing dress-up, no wardrobe was ever complete without a stethoscope.

"It was no surprise to me that my daughter would essentially pursue a career as a pediatrician," said



Yanise Jenkins

Galtney. "Since she was a young child, she has said time and time again that she wanted to be a doctor when she grew up, so she made no secret that she wanted a doctor's bag or a nurse's uniform whenever Christmas and birthdays rolled around," she said. "Since she was old enough to play with toys, Yanise has shown signs of being destined for the medical field." Galtney maintains that Jenkins has maintained both discipline and focus, with regard to her career choice, and others are eager to agree.

"I have witnessed Yanise's hard work and dedication first-hand," said Ontario High School math teacher Clinton Hunter. "She has always kept me abreast of her goals and plans of becoming a pediatrician," he said. "As her instructor, I have seen her reach her full potential through that hard work and dedication, and I am proud to have been a small part of her education." Hunter said that he was excited

when Jenkins informed him of her acceptance to U.C.R.

"I realize that my chosen field is highly demanding and will require a lot of me, especially where education is concerned, but I am up for the challenge," said Jenkins. "I am saddened by the increasingly alarming rate of children who are infected with AIDS, and I am passionate about becoming a part of the solution," she said. "When I

see the number of children dying each day from the disease, I am more committed than ever to my calling."

Jenkins credits an early start in education for opening her windows to the future. "Preschool really did prepare me for my studies," she said. "It was there that I learned organization techniques and developed learning skills." With the support of teachers, counselors and

her environment, Jenkins feels that she gained all the necessary tools to secure a solid future. "None of this would have been possible without the help of those individuals, as well as my mother," she said. "Being the loving and caring person that she has been, I knew that I could accomplish anything. She gave me a healthy, well-balanced life, which inspired me to care for the well-being of other

children."

It is apparent that Jenkins is certainly off to a good start. "The desire to see all children living a healthy life has been my inspiration," said Jenkins. "I feel that life is too short to just pass through it, when we can all strive to make a difference," she said. "Each and every one of us is here for a purpose."

Stewardship – Giving Wealth Wisely



Kevin Martin

In the course of writing these articles on wealth, I have received emails asking how people can distribute their wealth for the good of the community. For this article I am going to divide charitable giving into four categories:

1. Business Assistance
2. Educational Assistance
3. General Community Assistance
4. Family Assistance

The only way that the Black Community can truly create business wealth is to create funds that provide capital to Black businesses. For our purposes we will oversimplify and divided these funds into two type, venture capital funds and business assistance funds.

Venture capital funds are for profit funds. These funds are designed to make money for their investors. They essentially invest in potentially high-risk and high-growth businesses. Venture capital funds have been behind the explosive growth of technology in the United States technology.

I am using the term business

assistance funds to describe funds that are not for profit and provide loans (including microloans) and grants to businesses. Loans have to be paid back while grants do not.

2. Educational Assistance

Educational assistance can take the form of scholarships and fellowships. Scholarships are monies given to students to be used to pay for the cost of their education. With the rising cost of private schools,

scholarships can be provided to students of all ages, from elementary through college. Fellowships are funds provided to the school, college or university.

3. General Community Assistance

This is the money that we give to churches, civic organizations (NAACP, Urban League, etc.) community based organizations, fraternal organizations and professional organizations (Black MBA's, Doctors, Attorneys, Data Processors, Accountants, etc.). There are so many needs in our community that finding an organization to give money to is not a problem.

4. Family Assistance

We all want to help our families, but as I have pointed out in previous articles, providing and unexpected lump sum of money usually leads to wasteful spending. It is often better to provide our wealth to our family members via a living will or trust. (I am not a financial advisor so you probably want to speak with a professional for more details).

The legal definition of a trust is a fiduciary relationship in which one person (the trustee) holds the title to property (the trust estate or trust property) for the benefit of another (the beneficiary). (see www.dictionary.com – definition 9 under Law).

The basic concept is to ensure that your child or relative uses the money as a down payment on a home, to further their education, to invest, or to start a business, rather than just for buying a new car.

Money can be given to any or all of these categories, depending on your interests and desires. The key is to begin planning to pass your wealth on now.

Kevin Martin grew up in Riverside and is interested in discussing specific actions for improving the Black community. Comments can be sent to by1989@pacifinet.net. This account receives a great deal of spam so be sure to include this article's title or blackvoicenews in your subject line.



Elmer THOMAS

The overload of information we are faced with on a daily basis sometimes causes the decision making process to be unduly difficult. This can be especially true when it comes to choosing a service and/or product provider. On the other side of the coin, you may have great information on the service and/or product itself, but not on the provider. In this article I will show you some ways to use online tools to help make your purchasing decisions easier.

Helping Small Businesses and Organizations Bridge the Digital Divide

Finding Value On The Web

It is not featured on the front page, but Google has a specially formulated search engine specifically for identifying products. You may find this tool at <http://www.froogle.com>. Some of the things you can do is search by seller rating, product rating, relevance to your search keywords and by price.

There are many versions of the popular print directory "the yellow pages". One that is owned by AT&T is <http://www.yellowpages.com>. This service offers a sizable directory of businesses, the ability to rate and view ratings (although it appears to me that

this feature is underutilized) and you may search by distance from you.

You can think of craigslist.com as an online classified ads section with a large and vibrant community. Currently there is no rating system, so please be extra careful with using this system. Craigslist.com advises that you deal locally when possible.

eLance.com is great resource for finding freelancing professionals, although this site appears to catered towards technical professionals. There is an excellent feedback system and a large active community.

DealSea.com is a website that collects deals from around the Internet and posts them for you. There is an associated forum for each product where users of the community will provide feedback regarding the deal.

There is a newcomer on the block that aims to combine all of these services into a quick and easy format. You can find out more at <http://blog.ThemeBid.com>.

Next, I will discuss methods to advertise at a low cost.

Please send all feedback, topic suggestions and/or questions to

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First 5 Presents "Leading Ladies" for School Readiness



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L To R Patricia Calloway of Refreshing Springs Community Church, Brenda Davis of Refreshing Springs Church, Regina Hamilton of Refreshing Springs Community Church, Miriam Fredrick of Eagles Wings Christian Church, Patricia Wiggins of Eagles Wings Christian Church, Rhonda Ellison of Kansas Ave SDA, and Gladys Coward of Eagles Wings Christian Church.

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RIVERSIDE

By Marti Taylor

Members of the California Association of Ministers, Wives and Widows are spreading the good word of early childhood development through a partnership with First 5 California.

The two groups joined forces to create Leading Ladies for School Readiness, a statewide campaign specifically targeting African-Americans.

Established in 1999, First 5 focuses on early development of children ages 0 to five, based on studies that indicate children function better when exposed to positive emotional, physical and intellectual reinforcement during those years. Since its inception, First 5 has provided youngsters and their families with a range of health and early learning services.

But with the African-American community suffering from the highest infant mortality rate in the state and only 37 percent of its children enrolled in preschool, First 5 representatives enlisted the help of the Black church to spread the message about the importance of school readiness to African-American families.

The Leading Ladies' mission is to supply African-American parents and caregivers with the necessary tools.

"More and more African-American children are entering preschool unprepared," said Monique Brackett, Assistant Account Executive for BaumanCurry, in charge of African-American outreach for First 5 California. "It's about nurturing--reading to them out loud, having them hold crayons--not just letting them sit in front of the T.V. and watch Sesame Street."

Using African-American churches to disseminate that information to Black communities was a natural choice according to Mrs. Brackett.

"The African American community has always looked to faith leaders for guidance and advice when others rely on family members or politicians," said Mrs. Brackett. "In the Black community, pastors are considered a trusted source of information."

The organization is sending the message using methods such as advertising in Black newspapers, making public service announcements, and sponsoring radio gospel shows.

Although Leading Ladies is faith-based, Mrs. Brackett said one doesn't have to be affiliated with a church in order to benefit from the program.

"We'll be holding seminars and they'll be either in churches or community centers, but they're open to everyone," said Mrs. Brackett. "Our goal is to teach the African-American community about early childhood healthcare and education, benefits beyond the walls of the church."

The statewide campaign was launched in February after two years of collaboration between the church leaders and First 5.

During that time, the team created the Outreach Tool Kit equipped to assist Leading Ladies in their outreach efforts.

"The kit is a comprehensive guide to help members be strong school readiness advocates," said Mrs. Brackett. "It has talking points to assist us in hosting school readiness seminars, teaches us how to organize community forums, has answers to

frequently asked questions, and is a resource for church and media outreach information."

The tool kit also comes with a CD-ROM with helpful tips for parents, including a list of websites for different services, that can be downloaded,

printed and distributed.

The organization will be holding a parents workshop Wednesday, May 9 from 11:30 to 2:30 p.m. at the San Bernardino First 5 office, 330 N. D Street, fifth floor.

A Leading Ladies workshop will

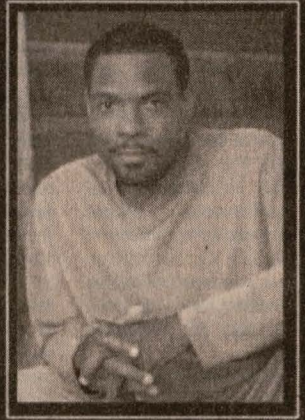
take place Friday, May 11 from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the First 5 Riverside office, 2002 Iowa Ave., Suite 100.

Lunch will be served at both events and are free and open to the public.

For more information about

Leading Ladies for School Readiness, visit the California Association of Ministers, Wives and Widows' website at info@leadingladiesforschool-readiness.com or call (866) 305-4813 or contact Mrs. Brackett at (323) 525-0559 ext. 237.

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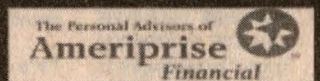


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Actor Demond Wilson to Speak at Prayer Breakfast

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Demond Wilson, the actor who gained television fame as Lamont on the comedy hit "Sanford and Son," will be the keynote speaker at the 13th

annual Inland Valley Harambee Prayer Breakfast at 8 a.m. April 7 in Ontario.

Community activists, youth advocates, elected officials, school trustees and volunteers will attend the breakfast at the

Airport Marriott Hotel, 2200 E. Holt Blvd., Ontario. Tickets are \$25 per person. Ticket and vendor information: (909) 597-7134.

Entertainment will include the Los Angeles Laker Girls, saxo-

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Religious Briefs

EASTER RESURRECTION CELEBRATION

The Ephesians New Testament Church invites the public to come and worship with them during their Easter "Resurrection Celebration" with the following services: Good Friday Service, April 6th at 7:00 p.m.; Easter Morning Worship Service at 9:00 a.m. and 11:45 a.m.; Annual Easter Egg Hunt at 1:30 p.m. Come celebrate at 16380 Merrill Ave., Fontana, CA (1/2 block west of Cypress Ave.). For more information contact the church at (909) 823-2310. Emory B. James is Sr. Pastor.

YOUTH GOSPEL FESTIVAL

The Riverside Black History Committee invites

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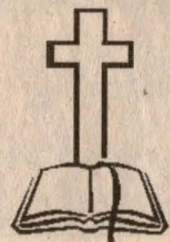
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The Black Voice News

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Thursday, April 5, 2007

Taft T. Newman Christian School Hosts 2nd Annual Portrait of Great Achiever Awards

Awards and Walk of Fame Induction Honors Those Making a Difference In The Community

The Black Voice News

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Grammy award winner Pastor Andrae Crouch, Assemblywoman Wilmer Amina Carter and Lindsay Hughes, of McDonald's Gospelfest acclaim, are only a few outstanding leaders included among those to be honored at the 2nd Annual 'Portrait of Great Achiever Awards and Walk of Fame Induction.' The black tie reception will commence at the Taft T. Newman Christian School located at 1314 Date Street in San Bernardino, Saturday, April 21 at 4:30 p.m. The reception will be immediately followed by the awards ceremony at 7:00 p.m.

The 'Portrait of Great Achiever Award and Walk of Fame Induction' event is a highly anticipated event honoring unsung heroes who have made outstanding contributions to the community. "We are very excited about hosting the event this year," comments advisory council member Lin French. "It is great to have a



Anna Maria Horsford



Rafael Rawls



Assemblywoman Wilmer Amina Carter



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Dorothy Ingram

forum where people are honored for their outstanding achievements. It uplifts the community and helps inspire others to also strive to accomplish great things, as well."

Rafael Rawls, Field Representative for Congressman Joe Baca, and actress Anna Maria Horsford will both serve as hosts

for the evening. Anna Maria Horsford, a seasoned actress in her own rite, has created in impressive body of work appearing in award-winning shows including Grey's Anatomy, 24 and The Shield. Playing a prominent role on the sitcom The Wayans Bros for five seasons, Horsford has also made several

guest star appearances on Sparks, Moesha, The Fresh Prince of Bel-Air and Girlfriends.

The following is a complete list of the 2007 Portrait of a Great

Achiever Award and Walk of Fame Induction honorees:

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- Pastor Andrae Crouch - legendary gospel singer and Pastor of New Christ Memorial Church of God in Christ

- Ted Henson - First African American Police Captain of the San Bernardino Police Department

- Lindsay Hughes - Philanthropist, Founder and CEO of McDonald's Gospelfest

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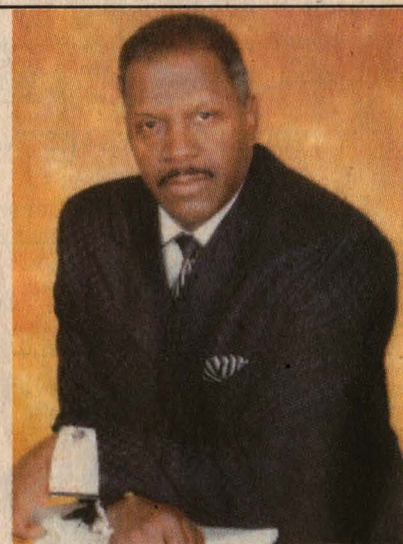
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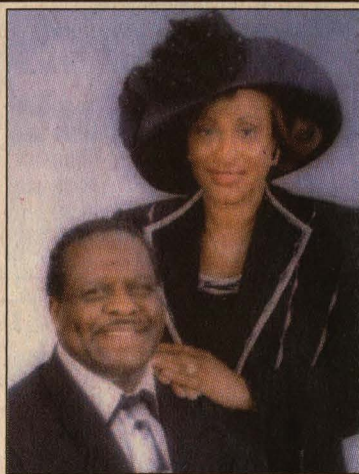
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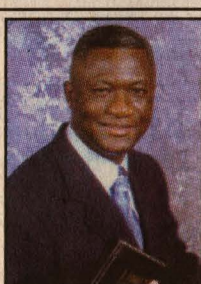
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